

South Carolina Department of Public Safety
S.C. Highway Patrol

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Colonel Christopher A. Knight
Florida Highway Patrol
2900 Apalachee Parkway
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Dear Colonel Knight: *CHRIS*

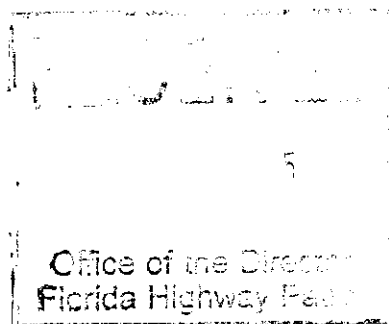
On behalf of the South Carolina Highway Patrol, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for allowing Captain M.W. Walker, Lieutenant T.J. Mallow, Lieutenant J.D. Wells, Sergeant R.S. Ashburn and Corporal William Barge to come to South Carolina and assist the South Carolina Sumter County Sheriff's Department in the investigation of the collision that resulted in the death of Senior Trooper Jonathan W. Parker.

Through the expertise of your unit, the Sumter County Sheriff's Department and the Third Judicial Circuit Solicitor's Office will be provided with facts of this collision in an unbiased manner. It is my hope that you would share this letter to inform them of our sincere appreciation.

Thank you again and should you need any assistance from this office, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Sincerely,

Russell F. Roark, III
Colonel



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